

## WILLIAM RUSSELL, ACCUSED OF DEATH OF HIS WIFE, TO BE TRIED ON THURSDAY

CALLAHAN AND HARRIS TO AS-  
SIST PROSECUTION; SMITH AND  
SAMPLE FOR DEFENDANT.

## WERT'S LAST MURDER CASE

INSANITY MAY BE PLEA OF DE-  
FENDANT WHEN THE TRIAL  
BEGINS.

William Russell, charged with the murder of his wife, near Woodland Mills, a month ago, will be placed on trial in the Morgan county law and equity court Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. A special venire has been drawn to hear the case.

Callahan and Harris will assist Solicitor Melvin Hutson in the prosecution of the case, while John Sample, of Hartselle, will be associated with Earl Smith, prominent attorney of Huntsville, in Russell's defense.

The trial will be the last, in which a defendant is accused of murder, heard by Judge Thomas W. Wert, whose court was abolished under a law passed by the recent legislature. The remainder of the criminal docket in his court is made up of minor criminal cases.

The killing charged to Russell was one of the most atrocious in the history of the county. He is accused of having shot his wife to death as she was cooking his Thanksgiving dinner last November.

Russell had previously been treated for insanity and it is probable that the defense will attempt to show that he was insane at the time of the slaying. Attorney Sample was in Albany, Decatur yesterday afternoon and is said to have gone over some of the plans of the defense.

Russell now is incarcerated in the Morgan county jail.

## Tax Officials to be at the Central Bank

Tax Assessor Troup and Tax Collector Robertson will be at the Central National Bank tonight, Thursday night and Friday night to assess and collect taxes.

"We are holding these night sessions for the convenience of the public here and we hope it will take advantage of it," said Mr. Robertson today.

## Does Anyone Want Little Girl of Five Years, As Xmas Gift?

Does anyone in Albany-Decatur want a real live little girl of five years for a Christmas present? A little girl, with curly hair, beautiful face and a bright, sunny disposition? If you do, communicate with the Associated Charities at Florence. The organization is seeking a home for the homeless little one.

## Judge Skeggs Will Open Office Xmas Morn To Give Marriage Licenses As Gifts To Lovers

Custom of Twenty-one Years in Probate Office Will Be  
Carried Out as Usual This Christmas By  
Kindly Official

Following a precedent established twenty-one Christmas ago, in 1895, Probate Judge William E. Skeggs will open his office at the court house on Christmas morning from 9 to 12 o'clock to issue marriage licenses free of all cost to whoever may apply. The ceremony, too, will be given the happy couples as a Christmas gift if they desire in addition to the licenses.

Twenty-one years ago, when Judge Skeggs was considerable younger than he is now, he formed the unique habit of opening his office on Christmas for the sole benefit of lovers who would be wed on Christmas morn. Judge Skeggs is no longer in the

## ONE MAN IS KILLED AND 12 ARE INJURED WHEN I. C. FLYER GOES INTO A DITCH

SEMINOLE LIMITED LEFT TRACK  
THIS MORNING AT GOLD,  
RIDGE, ALA.

## SIX CARS WERE DERAILED

WRECKER, SENT OUT FROM COL-  
UMBUS, MISS., BRINGS VICTIMS  
TO THAT PLACE.

(International News Service.)  
Columbus, Miss., Dec. 20.—One man was killed and 12 injured this morning when a broken rail threw the Seminole Limited of the Illinois Central railroad into the ditch at Gold Ridge, Ala.

The engine, tender and six cars were derailed.

The accident occurred this morning at 8:30 o'clock. A wrecking train was sent out from Columbus and it is probable that the injured will be brought here. The train consisted of 12 steel cars. None of the Pullmans left the track.

## N. C. & St. L. Board Arbitration Named

Judge Grafton Green of Tennessee  
Supreme Court is the Neutral  
Member.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The board of arbitration that will attempt to settle the differences existing between the N. C. & St. L. railroad and its employees, was completed today by the selection of Judge Grafton Green, of the Tennessee supreme court, as the third member. He was agreed on both by the road and the brotherhood. Other members of the board are: Judge J. W. Judd, who represents the railroads, and F. A. Burgess for the employees.

## Morgan County Has Ginned 16,789 Bales

Morgan county has ginned 16,789 bales of cotton this year, up to December 1, compared with 20,837, in the same period last year, according to a statement issued by the government census bureau. Madison county is leading all of the counties of Alabama.

## SEVERAL CASES DISPOSED OF.

The following cases have been disposed of in the law and equity court, now in session:

J. T. Woods, assault, plead guilty, fined one cent.

Robert Tapscott, three cases violating prohibition laws, nolle prossed.

James Bane, Jr., violating prohibition laws, fined \$50, on recommendation of Solicitor Hutson \$25 remitted; liquor ordered destroyed.

## VICTIMS OF CRUEL WAR'S RAVAGES



Home again! And this is what they found. A touching scene, common enough behind the Rhine line, in Europe, showing the remains of a French peasant's farmhouse after it was raked with big guns. The sole belongings of this typical homeless family are packed in the bag which the peasant is carrying on his shoulder.

## BIRMINGHAM SUFFERS A \$150,000 FIRE LOSS

Fireman is Injured When Aerial Ladder Breaks.  
Hospital Says He May Recover

(International News Service.)  
Birmingham, Dec. 20.—Damage to the extent of at least \$150,000 was done to the stores of the Parisian Company and the S. A. Williams & Company by fire which started in the rear of the Parisian about 5:30 o'clock this morning.

The entire stock of both stores was practically destroyed.

The aerial ladder of the city's huge hook and ladder truck gave way under the strain of three water-filled hose lines and fell to the street shortly after 6 o'clock.

Fireman Stark, of Station 9, was struck by the falling ladder and sent whirling away 15 feet. It is reported from the hospital that he will possibly recover.

## FILIBUSTER STOPS VOTE ON PROHIBITION BILL 'EXTRA' SESSION OF CONGRESS MAY BE

"WETS" PREVENT SENATE TAK-  
ING ACTION ON THE SHEP-  
PARD MEASURE.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Dec. 20.—A determined filibuster, conducted by "wet" senators, blocked the way to a vote on the Sheppard bill in the senate this afternoon and threatened to sidetrack the measure until after the holidays.

## UNDERWOOD SUBSTITUTE IS DEFEATED BY SENATE.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Underwood substitute for the Sheppard District of Columbia prohibition bill, which involved a referendum of the liquor question to the people of the district, suffered a parliamentary defeat last yesterday afternoon when on its passage the vote was 38 for and 38 against.

Inasmuch as the vote was taken in a caucus of the senate sitting as a committee of the whole, and the caucus had expressed itself only in parliamentary sense, Senator Underwood gave notice that he would offer his substitute before an open session of the senate.

But for the absence of Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, and Senator Lewis of Illinois, both of whom are ill in the city, the Underwood substitute would have prevailed. For the Underwood substitute 23 democrats and 15 republicans voted. Against it 19 democrats and 19 republicans.

## HOME BEING REBUILT.

R. E. Stamps is preparing to rebuild his home, recently destroyed by fire on South Seventh street and Fifth avenue. Contracts have been let and work probably will begin the first of the year.

He is making his home now in the flats, corner Second avenue and Jackson street.

## APPOINTMENT.

Preaching services by Elders C. H. Cayce and H. L. Golston is announced at South Side Baptist church Friday, Dec. 22, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The public is invited to hear these men.

## Big Holiday Business New Decatur Office

Records Broken for Sale of Money  
Orders. Extra Men on the Job.

The New Decatur postoffice is doing a rushing holiday business, with a record sale of 187 postoffice money orders in one day and stamp sales for the same day of \$100. The parcels post business, however, Postmaster McMillan stated today, is not up to that of last year. This is taken to indicate that the residents of Albany are trading at home to a greater extent than previously.

For the holiday rush, Postmaster McMillan has employed three extra men, and these are kept busy handling the big volume of mail matter and parcels. A hanging scale has been placed at the parcels post window, which expedites the weighing and handling of out-bound packages. Four bins, one for each section of the city, are used for receiving packages for distribution.

The new postoffice building is very small for holiday purposes, and some inconvenience is being experienced by the office force for this reason.

## SUMMONS MAILED OUT.

Sheriff Forman today is mailing out summons for jurors to serve in the circuit court when it opens in January. The summons are being mailed out to save time in serving them.

## 500 CASES OF BOOZE STOLEN AT GIRARD

GOVERNOR WILL TAKE STEPS TO  
PREVENT FURTHER TROUBLE  
HE SAYS.

(International News Service.)  
Girard, Ala., Dec. 20.—Five hundred cases of contraband liquor seized by the militia last June has been stolen from the warehouse since the guard was dispensed with on Nov. 1.

## GOVERNOR TO PREVENT REPETITION OF TROUBLE

(International News Service.)  
Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 20.—Governor Henderson stated today he will take steps at once to prevent more trouble at Girard. He said there had been no guard since the soldiers with drew, at which time the guardianship of the liquor was turned over to Sheriff Lindsey, who was appointed special guard.

## GREAT DECREASE IN COTTON CROP

GOVERNMENT REPORT DECLARES  
ONLY 10,945,989 BALES GINNED  
TO DECEMBER 1.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Dec. 20.—The report of the census bureau today shows 10,945,989 bales, counting round as ball bales, ginned from the growth of 1916 to December 13, compared with 10,306,909 bales for 1915 and 13,872,229 for 1914.

Number of bales ginned from the growth of 1916, prior to Dec. 13, in the following states were: Alabama, 531,076; Georgia, 1,780,449; Mississippi, 763,283; Tennessee, 340,656; Texas, 3,485,526.

## L. & N. PAY CAR ON LAST TRIP

The L. & N. pay car has made  
its last trip.

This became known here semi-officially today, when members of the pay car crew bade friends here good-bye and told them that they would not come this way again.

Owing to the fact that a number of states in which the L. & N. operates have passed twice-a-month pay day laws, the road has concluded hereafter to pay by check only.

It is probable that the L. & N. will place funds on deposit at one of the local banks to meet the pay roll.

## ALLIED PEACE NOTE WILL ACCORD WITH PREMIER'S SPEECH

Views as Outlined by Lloyd George Have Been  
Accepted by All Entente Powers

## WILL GERMANY MAKE NEW OVERTURES?

Much Speculation as to Future Efforts to End  
War, But Nothing Definite is Known

(International News Service.)  
London, Dec. 20.—The contents of the allied note to the central powers rejecting the Teutonic peace proposals will be along the same lines as Premier Lloyd George's speech, it was stated in official circles today. The big question of the hour now is "will Germany make new overtures to the allies conveying terms in accord with the broad principles of Lloyd George's speech?"

On this question there is a wide division of opinion. It is felt that the premier left the way open for further negotiations, but whether Germany will take advantage of this opportunity is a matter of pure speculation.

Every indication shows that England is preparing to wage the war more vigorously than ever, and the program laid down by the premier makes it plain that he does not look for an early cessation of hostilities.

Practically all the newspapers hail the speech of Mr. Lloyd George as expressing exactly the thoughts and desires of the British people.

Reports from Petrograd, Paris and Rome state that the allies are in complete accord in refusing consideration to the peace proposal.

## LOYD GEORGE SENDS MESSAGE TO CANADA

(International News Service.)  
Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 20.—"However long the path to final victory, we shall travel it side by side," said a message today from Premier Lloyd George to the Canadian people. Announcement of the receipt of the message was made by Sir Robt. Borden, to whom it was sent.

## WASHINGTON STILL HOPES FOR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Dec. 20.—Hope for continued negotiations between the allied powers and the central powers with a final peace as a possibility, if of a probability, was expressed in diplomatic circles here today.

While neither President Wilson nor Secretary Lansing would discuss the matter, it was learned the administration believed the Lloyd George reply to the peace proposal leaves the way open for open peace discussions. This is likewise held by representatives of the various neutral nations at Washington.

Washington diplomats base their hopes on the paragraph of Lloyd George's speech, which sets forth that the entente powers "will wait until we hear what terms and guarantees the German government offers better than those which she so lightly broke."

On authority close to the German embassy it was learned that Germany is fully prepared to lay before the entente allies terms of peace which will be more or less definite.

German diplomats, however, will not at this time make public a statement of the details of her peace terms.

Germany's reply to the forthcoming entente answer on the peace proposals is expected to suggest that the terms of peace be submitted to a joint conference.

President Wilson and the state department will watch closely the developments in the interchange of notes, but will make no move until both sides have had an opportunity to make their positions clear.

## ALLIES' REPLY CONSIDERED AS A FAVORABLE STEP.

(International News Service.)  
Amsterdam, Dec. 20.—Although the allies have refused to consider the Teutonic peace proposals, the fact that the entente governments will send a formal reply to the German note is regarded in political circles as a progressive step, according to a report from Berlin today.

Whether or not Germany will name

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## COUNTY TEACHER'S INSTITUTE OPENS

SESSIONS WILL BE HELD AT DE-  
CATUR PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILD-  
ING FOR THREE DAYS.

The Morgan County Teachers' Institute opened this morning at Decatur public school building, with teachers from all parts of the county in attendance. Under the new law, attendance upon sessions of an institute is compulsory upon the part of all teachers in the public schools. To meet the situation the county board of education granted the pedagogues a three days' holiday with pay.

The instructors at the institute are Prof. Ledbetter, Miss Lula Bradford and Prof. Stevenson, while County Superintendent J. C. Tidwell is in charge. The sessions will be held today, tomorrow and Friday.

Welcomed by Collier.

The teachers were formally welcomed to Decatur and Albany by Superintendent J. M. Collier, of Decatur schools, at the morning session, which was largely taken up with organization.

Prof. Ledbetter made a short address to the teachers on the value of institute work and explained the recent institute law. Short talks were also made by Miss Bradford and Professor Stevenson, of Roanoke, assistant instructors.

The total enrollment of teachers was 144.

## Billie Strikes Out In Effort to Stop Boston's Booze Sale

(International News Service.)

Boston, Dec. 20.—Billy Sunday's rampant evangelism and attacks on the liquor trenches went for naught.

Complete returns today from yesterday's election showed that the Hub city of New England will remain wet for the forty-third consecutive year by more than 23,000 votes.

"I won't quarrel with the umpire," said Billy Sunday. "I'm a good loser. I learned that on the ball field."

## SCHOONER AND ALL SOULS ARE LOST

(International News Service.)

Halifax, Dec. 20.—The American schooner William Mason from Perth Amboy, N. J., for Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, has been lost in a gale with all aboard.

Wreckage of the vessel's cabin and the bodies of two seamen were washed ashore near Digby.

They were identified as Benj. Matthews of Montano, and James A. Apt. of Bear River, Nova Scotia. The schooner carried a cargo of coal.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

J. W. Weaver to Miss Evie Willis.  
Addie P. Reynolds to Miss Lucy Wilson Taylor.



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## ENGLAND'S DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE THE WAR.

If any doubt existed as to the reluctance of England to enter into peace negotiations with the central powers, that doubt was dispelled by the frank statement made yesterday in the House of Commons by David Lloyd George, the British premier. Mr. Lloyd George practically said that Britain would consider peace only on her own terms, the premier's demands being these:

Reparation and guarantee against repetition, so that there shall be no mistake. \* \* \* Let me repeat—complete restitution, full reparation and effectual guarantees.

Liberally interpreted, the premier's attitude is that of the unconditional surrender of all territory now held by the central allies through conquest, the payment of indemnity for the cost of the war and the devastation of midget kingdoms, and perhaps a complete breaking up of the German military machine and the overthrow of militarism.

Such terms as these Germany will not now accept. Nor will Germany conclude peace on such a basis until her armies have been shattered and her defense broken down. When the war has been fought to a decisive finish, there will be no need of peace negotiations, nor will the services of mediators be required. It will then be simply a matter of dictating the terms—and they will be drastic enough, regardless of who makes them.

Lloyd George's fear that England would "put her head into the noose with the end of the noose in Germany's hands" is well founded. The bitter enmity between the two nations, their eternal struggle for commercial supremacy, warrants each in being constantly on guard against the other. The perfection of the Zeppelin and the submarine are the "ends of the noose" that the British statesman possibly saw in Germany's hands. By pulling these two strings, there is not the slightest doubt but that Germany could strangle the British empire to death.

It is unfortunate that the warring nations could not arrive at a basis of peace that would have terminated the bloody and costly war. It was inevitable that they should not be able to reach an agreement at this time. Perhaps two years from now, when the first fury of the titanic struggle has been cooled by the sacrifice of men and treasure, when the blood lust has been satisfied, when sanity has returned, the great world war may be brought to a close. For the present it must go on.

## UP TO NEWSPAPERS TO MANUFACTURE PAPER.

A press dispatch sent out from Washington, after telling something of the inquiries made by the Federal Trade Commission into the enhanced cost of print paper, very pertinently says:

Plans of the publishers for financing paper mills to help take care of newspaper needs, it was said, are rapidly taking shape. Some publishers are of the opinion this is the only way to increase their news print production and that the publishers of the country must arrange to care for their own needs or go out of business.

This is just what was to be expected. As most every one knows, federal efforts to regulate prices are usually futile. They are especially so at this time, when the European war affords excuse for the elevation of prices on every commodity in general use. The Federal Trade Commission, a cumbersome, slow-moving body, can be expected to do nothing more than correctly direct public opinion. Its powers are limited, however good its intentions may be.

To obtain real emancipation, to be free of all onerous impositions of manufacturers, the newspaper publishers must become manufacturers. By doing this they can themselves guarantee a minimum price on the vast amounts of print paper consumed daily in the more than 1,000 newspapers

of the United States. The plan is just as practical as is the Associated Press, which is a co-operative news gathering association. That same co-operation will break the back of the newspaper trust, if there is one, and will remove the tax which paper manufacturers have placed upon intelligence.

Secretary of War Baker, in outlining his views on universal military service, says: "The obligation to serve the country is a universal one."

Secretary Baker is right. The obligation is universal. However, as it applies to the bearing of arms, it is not eternal. The obligation is in time of war, not in time of peace. Neither is there any obligation to invite war by making America an armed camp.

Boston, in yesterday's election, voted to stay "wet." Peculiar that a city renowned for the dryness of its language and the perfection of its expression, should have opposed aridity as applied to the use of beverages, or should have taken the chance on having its choice diction muddled by maudlin tongues.

## RIVER IS FALLING.

Chattanooga, Dec. 20.—(Special).—The Tennessee river here today showed a gauge of 7 feet 6 inches, and was falling; cloudy; rainfall .04. At Bridgeport the river stands at 1.5 and is falling. At Guntersville the river is stationary, with a rainfall of .13 inch during the past 24 hours.

## Big Sum is Raised For the Land Book

Jones Reports Total of Nineteen Thousand for Advertising State.

Emmett A. Jones, secretary of the Alabama development fund, has made a general and financial report to the board of trustees, composed of Gov. Henderson, State Treasurer Lancaster and Commissioner of Agriculture Wade.

In brief this report sets out that more than \$19,000 have been raised to publish the Alabama Land Book, to complete the moving picture and to establish and maintain a permanent agricultural and industrial bureau in Chicago. The total cost of these activities, deducted from the total subscriptions to the fund, leaves a net surplus of almost \$11,000.

## A CHRISTMAS PRAYER.

By Frederic T. Cardozo  
 (I. N. S. Albany (N. Y.) Correspondent)

Most gracious Lord, forbid the sword  
 And dull each gleaming blade;  
 Be it Thy will, tonight, to still  
 Each deadly canonade.  
 The straying sheep seek out and keep.  
 The blackest one retrieve.  
 That he may kneel, for peace appeal,  
 Upon this Christmas Eve.

The Winter frost, December's Ghost,  
 Its spangled robe has spread  
 Across the mead, each shrub and weed  
 Now lies suppressed and dead.  
 From out the gloom a hollow boom  
 The season's message tells.  
 From metal throats, where hatred  
 Gloats,  
 Instead of Christmas bells.

The sentry's boom, the full white moon  
 Which clouds anon conceal,  
 Rebukes the blight, with silver light  
 Of each stern gun of steel.  
 It clothes the plain where lie the slain,  
 Contorted yet serene,  
 In garments rare that spirits wear,  
 Translucent sheets of sheen.

For dear the ears of kings and peers  
 To sorrow and despair,  
 And men still pray in pits of clay,  
 Entrapped, like beasts in lairs,  
 While over earth the Savior's birth  
 Is heralded once more,

From placid sea to stormy sea,  
 From seared to sheltered shore.

Though peace on earth reigned at his birth  
 In David's city then,  
 And vale and hill sank of good will  
 From Him toward all men,  
 Tonight the breath of hate and death  
 Is breathed from many a soul;  
 Each watchful group and soldier troop  
 Has slaughter for its goal.

With upraised arm, still each alarm  
 Which shall ascend above,  
 Bid thou the age of war's fell rage  
 Give way to brother love;  
 And in Thy might forbid the fight  
 That wages day by day  
 And lead each race with radiant face  
 And firm clasped hands, away.

## NOTICE.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Decatur Ice and Coal Company will be held at their office in Decatur, Ala., on the eighth day of January, 1917, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

E. H. ALLISON,

D 6-13-20-27 Secretary.

## Just In Passing

DECATUR POSTOFFICE HUSHED.  
 "We are expecting the biggest Christmas business we ever had," said Postmaster William E. Crawford, of Decatur. "Although Assistant Postmaster Felix Robertson has gone to New Orleans and we are thus short one man, we expect to take care of all the business. By Christmas morning there won't be a single package in this office. We have two parcel post wagons busy all this week, and expect to handle the rush. The country is prosperous and the postoffices are all rushed this year."

PEOPLE ARE PROSPEROUS.  
 "There is more money in general circulation now than at any time since we have been in business here," said Manager Miller of the Singer Sewing Machine Company. "We are selling a larger percentage of machines for cash than ever before. Besides this, we are collecting accounts that we had never hoped to get. The public can be trusted to pay when it has the money, and this year most everybody has some of the needful."

GLAD TO RETURN.  
 "I do not know just what line of business I will engage in, but I am glad to return to Albany-Decatur," said I. N. Butler, former resident of Albany, who left here two years ago. "There are many good cities in the South, but after all it is hard to find any that beat ours. But there certainly have been many changes since I left. New Decatur now is Albany and the people seem to have a new spirit as well as a new name. In my opinion it spells progress with a capital P."

WINDOW DRESSER COMPLIMENT  
 "The Christmas window display of Crow & Crow is one of the prettiest I have seen," said H. H. Hunter. "I have tried my hand some at window trimming and I know how hard it is to get the best effect. Charles Arnold, who dressed Crow & Crow's window, deserves a great deal of credit for his work."

CHRISTMAS TRADE GOOD.  
 "The Christmas trade began well this year," said Dr. F. R. Beason, the well-known Bank street druggist. "The outlook, too, is good, and I expect this to show the best holiday business local merchants have known in years."

ATLANTA STORE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE  
 LOSS OF \$200,000 IS SUFFERED.  
 ORIGIN OF THE BLAZE IS UNKNOWN.  
 (International News Service.)  
 Atlanta, Dec. 20.—Fire this morning gutted the J. P. Allen department store in the heart of the shopping district, causing a loss of \$200,000. Origin of the blaze is unknown.

Toy Shop is Opened Today on Bank St.  
 "The Toy Shop" is the name of Decatur's newest store. It opened this morning at 316 Bank street, with a large variety of things to make the children happy. The store will be open every evening, also, for the convenience of the Christmas shoppers.

Home Laundry Sold to Jackson, Tenn., Men  
 The Home Steam Laundry has been sold by J. A. Hurst to W. L. Clanton and J. J. Clanton, of Jackson, Tenn. Mr. Hurst announced today. The new owners will take possession within the next few days.

Mr. Hurst said he had not decided what business he would enter, but probably will locate in Albany-Decatur again. "These two cities look good to me," he said.

John D. Wyker & Son  
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## WANTS

HELP WANTED, REAL ESTATE AND HOMES FOR SALE, LOST OR FOUND, LOANS ETC. All Want Ads Cash in Advance.

No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents.  
 25 words, 1 time..... 25c  
 25 words, 3 times..... 50c  
 25 words, 1 week..... \$1.00  
 25 words, 1 mo..... \$3.00  
 50 words, 1 time..... 50c  
 50 words, 3 times..... \$1.00  
 50 words, 1 week..... \$1.75  
 50 words, 1 mo..... \$5.00

LOST—Cameo breast pin, figure of woman seated by lamb, lost somewhere on Second avenue or on car between Second avenue and Seventh street, south. Return to this office and receive liberal reward. 20-3t

FOR SALE—Five shares Central National Bank stock. Address "Central," care Albany-Decatur Daily. 20-6t

FOR SALE—Two-story, 3-room house with all modern conveniences, in the best repair, large lot, first class location and only one block from high school. Write or call 509 Oak street, Decatur. 18-6t

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—Small Holstein Jersey cow, dehorned and carrying bell, yellowish in color, white spot in forehead. Phone 154v Albany, giving information. Liberal reward for her return. 18-3t

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished connecting rooms for light housekeeping; modern conveniences; private entrance; to couple without children; centrally located. Phone Albany 263-J, or call at 327 Grant street. 18-3t

FLAT FOR RENT—Seven-room, newly overhauled, modern conveniences, \$8 per month. Call W. B. Edmundson. Phone Albany 124. 18-1t

For Steam Heated Flats, Phone 294. 16-1t

BARGAINS—I have two 5-acre tracts with new cottages, and also two 5-acre tracts with no improvements, in West Town. Installments. E. H. Allison. 20-1t

SIX PER CENT MONEY on well improved homes; repaid by monthly installments. E. H. Allison. 7-1t

WOOD FOR SALE—Heater or stove wood. Call Wilder Place, 124, New Decatur. M 2-1vr

Suitable gifts in Furniture, specially priced this week. Cook Bros. Furniture Co. 18-1t

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 Freight Service, Decatur 10  
 Lamb's Ferry and Lock Six.  
 Boat leaves every Friday 10 a.m.  
 DECATUR NAVIGATION CO.  
 Phone 225 Decatur.  
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In this day and age, nothing is so beneficial in business as getting together.

We are something more than Bankers—something more than just a safe place to store your money—something more than a pass-book, check or vault.

We are a very human lot of individuals, and it is a matter of pride with us, that aside from the responsibilities we have developed in our business, we have always cultivated the friendship of those whom we serve.

COME IN—LET'S GET TOGETHER.

## Morgan County National Bank

ALBANY, ALABAMA

## THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

**\$12,444,584 for  
 Schools and Roads**

In the last ten years the Southern Railway has paid in taxes for schools, bridges, roads and pensions in the South the following amounts:

For schools	\$7,237,339.76
For roads and bridges	4,110,900.38
For pensions	1,096,344.03
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,444,584.17</b>

The Southern Railway Company is proud to have made this contribution to the upbuilding of the South.

It is further evidence that the welfare of the South and the welfare of the Southern Railway are the same. Damage one, and the other suffers.

**"The Southern Serves the South"**

## Christmas Flowers

Poinsettias, Cyclamens, Primroses, Begonias, Holly, Green Sheet Moss, Immortelles, Boxwood Sprays, Azaleas, Cut Flowers, and Ferns

"Don't pay the middle man, buy direct!"  
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Now that Wilson is elected and Muscle Shoals comes next, it is time to buy land. I have 10, 30, 40, 80, 160 and 360 acre tracts lying between the Twin Cities and Muscle Shoals, for sale. Call to see me at the office of

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## Money, Money, Money to Lend

on improved farm lands in Morgan and Cullman and adjoining counties.

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## CHRISTMAS JEWELRY

Beautiful Sparkling, Brilliant Gifts

Think what you want to express in your giving—the Christmas sentiment.

Do the gifts on your list express it, or are they merely "gifts?" Real gifts are tokens-reminders of friendship signs of respect, or love.

You will find real gifts at

**Reuther Jewelry Co.**  
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## A Victrola for her Christmas—



—is easy on your pocketbook and a new joy in her life

Is there anything in the world that can bring her half as much pleasure as the Victrola, "instrument of the world's greatest artists?" Its music is a never-ending source of inspiration, and a never-boring source of entertainment.

Its singers are the greatest in the world, its instrumentalists the foremost, its comedians the funniest, its bands the most famous.

And it is such a simple, convenient matter to get a Victrola from us that every home can afford one. Our terms make a Victrola the easiest thing you can get for Christmas. Victrolas \$15 to \$400.

**McGehee Furniture Co.**  
504 Bank Street

## Careful Christmas Giving Will Reduce the Cost of January Living

At Christmas times most of us are involved in the spirit of giving. It's to be commended. But why not make the giving of such things that are practical and of use after the rush is over. Gifts of clothing are some of the things that make for savings after all.

A HARD and BITTER WINTER ahead of us is the forecast. It will be—

### SHOES and SHOES!

Shoes are high, and getting higher. There's no relief in sight—so why not give them to the children and yourself now, while giving is good and prices some cheaper?

**Suits, Overcoats, Sweater Coats, Gloves, Hosiery**

These are some of the practical suggestions; all of which we are prepared to serve you. To this we could add a list of many attractive and useful things that will be needed.

TO SERVE YOU we will be open at night all the week so that if trading is more convenient for you, it can be done then.

**Chandler's**

# SOCIETY

Margaret Clinton Shelton :: Phone 386w

### THOUGHT.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you: Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

### CHRISTMAS PLAY AT WESTMINSTER CHURCH.

The men of the congregation of Westminster Presbyterian church will give a Christmas play at the church Sunday evening, Dec. 24, at 7:30 o'clock. On Sunday evening, Dec. 31, the special song service will be given at the church, under the direction of Mrs. B. B. Pickens. The choir will be assisted at this service by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis. Mrs. Davis is pleasantly remembered here as Miss Stella Lyons, and is an accomplished violinist.

### WOMAN'S LITERARY CLUB WITH MRS. J. H. DONNELL.

The Woman's Literary Society celebrated "Alabama and Education Day" with Mrs. J. H. Donnell yesterday afternoon. The program opened with: Roll Call—"Christmas Customs in Other Lands."

An address by Prof. R. Cowart was greatly enjoyed. His comprehensive knowledge of the subject in hand made him doubly delightful.

Mrs. Sommers, of Canada, gave a vocal number that was indeed a treat.

Instrumental numbers were rendered by Mrs. W. A. Rickles and Miss Lucile Bailey that were highly appreciated.

A number of guests enjoyed the program with the club.

### POST-NUPTIAL EVENT FOR MRS. OSCAR E. HOWELL.

Mrs. W. A. Austin was the charming hostess at a post-nuptial event complimentary to Mrs. Oscar Howell, who has just returned from a honeymoon trip to points south. Christmas decorations beautified the interior of the home. Miss Hazel Thomas assisted in receiving and ushered the guests to the dining room. Games and contests were features of entertainment.

Miss Annie Nell and Lee Lammon won the prize. After the presentation dainty refreshments were served. The parlor was then opened, where the gifts were displayed for the pleasure of the guests.

### CANTATA "GIFTS FOR THE KING"

Will be presented at the Central M. E. church Sunday evening at 7:30 by Mrs. Herman Troup and W. H. Winston.

### CHILDREN'S DANCE.

Miss Mary Williams will give the children of her class a dance Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6.

Mrs. H. L. Holmes, of Gallatin, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clarkson, for the holidays. She will be joined here Sunday by Mr. Holmes.

Miss Nettie McDaniel, of Nashville, is visiting Mrs. J. T. Nelson, of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skeggs of Chattanooga, will be the holiday guests of their parents, Judge and Mrs. Wm. E. Skeggs.

Miss Novina Chunn, of Valhermosa is visiting Miss Glenn Garrison.

Miss Gladys Garrison, a student of the State Normal at Florence, will return home Thursday for the holidays.

Miss Julia Walden is home for the holidays from Birmingham, and has accepted a position with R. E. Chandler.

Miss Nannie Leathers, of Morganfield, Ky., will be the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson.

Mrs. Mary Hewlett and Mrs. Fannie McCleary have returned to Deposit, Ala., after attending the funeral of Capt. J. J. Rose.

### CLUB CALENDAR.

Wednesday.

Married Ladies' Bridge.

Saturday.

Silk Stocking.

Colonial Club dance—Club rooms.

Miss Allene Adams, who is superintending school work at Tanner, is at home for the holidays.

Mrs. Lambert Mays left this afternoon for Columbia, Tenn., to remain until Christmas eve, when she will be joined by Mr. Mays, and they will go to Adams, Tenn., for the holidays, with Mr. Mays' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frahn, accompanied by Albert Frahn, of Nashville, will arrive Saturday for the holidays. They will be joined here by George and Lawrence Frahn, of Toledo, O., for a reunion of the Frahn family.

Miss Inez West, of Nashville, will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays with relatives.

## PERSONALS

Ben Collier is expected home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Collier.

Will Kimbrough returned this morning from New York to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Kimbrough.

United States Marshal Henry A. Skeggs, who has been kept at home for a few days with an attack of grip, has recovered and left for Birmingham this afternoon.

Will Rose returned to Gadsden on Tuesday, having attended the funeral of his uncle, Capt. J. J. Rose.

Just received by express, Nunnally's Liggett's and Guth's fine candies. Exquisite Christmas packages to suit you. The Owl Drug Co., 401 Bank street.

### CARD OF THANKS.

The tender attentions shown me and mine by many kind friends, in our affliction, in the loss of the late Mr. J. J. Rose, are gratefully acknowledged, and beg to say the remembrance will always be cherished.

MRS. F. B. ROSE.

Another Decatur Case

It Proves That There's a Way Out for Many Suffering Decatur Folks.

Just another report of a case in Decatur. Another typical case. Kidney ailments relieved in Decatur with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. J. D. Livingstone, 210 W. Church St., Decatur, says: "My kidneys weren't acting right and for over a year I was confined to bed suffering from inflammation of the bladder. No one but myself can know the severe pains I endured. My ankles and hands swelled and the kidney secretions were unnatural. I had a dull, steady ache in the small of my back. I was getting in a very bad way and after eight different physicians had failed to cure me, my family doctor recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. One box made me feel much better and I have not had a bad attack of kidney trouble since."

50c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (Adv.)

Suitable gifts in Furniture, specially priced this week. Cook Bros. Furniture Co.

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Our Stock is Complete—All Sizes

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## Auto Goes Dead on Track; Hit by Car

Mrs. J. V. Murphree Injured in Accident Late Yesterday Afternoon.

When the Ford car owned and driven by J. V. Murphree, of Fairview, went dead on the track near Dillehay Bros. drug store yesterday afternoon, it was directly in the path of a street car, and was struck a resounding blow by the latter. Mrs. Murphree, who, with her husband and small daughter, Eleanor, occupied the car, was painfully injured. It is feared that she sustained a broken rib.

"I saw the car approaching when my engine went dead and signalled the motorman," said Mr. Murphree this morning. "Evidently, the motorman did not get my signal or thought that I was pranking, for he did not apply his brakes until too late to avoid an accident. The street car was proceeding slowly."

The automobile was damaged to some extent. It is thought that the impact of the blow threw Mrs. Murphree's arm, which was circled about a big bunch of Christmas packages, against the steel ribs of the automobile top, causing the injury to her side.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends for their acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy on the death of our husband and father.

Mrs. A. Spielberger and Family. Sam Spielberger and Family.

Suitable gifts in Furniture, specially priced this week. Cook Bros. Furniture Co.

## Our Entire Stock of Hats Sacrificed in Our Great Removal Sale

The greatest offer you have ever had at this Season of the year. Styles and prices have both advanced, however, the great reductions that have been made in our Millinery Department will sell every hat in our store.

**Any Hat in The Store From \$2.00 to \$5.00**

These hats formerly sold for \$5 to \$10. They are not odds and ends, mind you, but smart, snappy styles of today in large and medium models.

All are the latest conceptions of the most exclusive Millinery styles and offer a varied assortment for your selection. The special price is placed for immediate sale that will mean an unusual savings.

It Will Certainly pay you to buy that hat now

**Mrs. F. S. Graves**

Second Ave., Albany

“TRADE AT HOME!”

## Christmas Gifts for All at Decatur Drug Co., Inc.

Some suggestions are offered among the following that will, no doubt, please you and make your Christmas Shopping easy:

### Our Line of French Ivory Goods

Toilet Sets in Boxes—\$5 to \$25  
French Ivory Hand Mirrors  
French Ivory Combs  
French Ivory Hair Brushes  
French Ivory Cloth Brushes  
French Ivory Manicure Sets  
Many styles and prices, the kind you can have engraved.

### White Buffers

White Shoe Horns  
White Puff Boxes  
White Trays  
White Trinket Baskets  
White Infant Sets  
A choice selection of many designs at attractive prices

Box Paper all colors, latest styles from 50c. to \$5 box. Correspondence Cards, all colors; up to now styles, 25c to \$1.00. Crepe and Tissue paper.

CHRISTMAS CARDS, CHRISTMAS SEALS, CHRISTMAS TAGS, CHRISTMAS POST CARDS, CHRISTMAS RIBBONEZE, CHRISTMAS GOLD and SILVER CORD

We have a fine assortment of all the latest colors and wordings to suit everyone

Music Rolls, Shaving Stands, Sterno Stoves, Smoker Sets, Oval Trays, Icy Hot Bottles, Fountain Pens, Merchaum Pipes, Briar pipes, Amber Pipes, Smoking Tobacco in fancy jars, Chafing Dishes, Fancy Pictures, small oval and square silver frames, Copper Trays, Gentlemen's Pocket Books, Gentlemen's Card Cases, Tally Cards, Cut Glass Puff Boxes, Cut Glass Perfume Bottles, Holly Empty Boxes for packages, all sizes.

PERFUMES, TOILET WATERS, FACE POWDERS, ROUGE, and everything for the toilet; all sizes, all prices.

These are only a few of the many items suitable for gifts that you will find at our store

WE INVITE YOUR INSPECTION

Norris Candy In Holiday Boxes, and Baskets Get Her a Package

**Decatur Drug Co., Inc.**

Phone 94, Decatur, Ala.

**All 25.00 SUITS Reduced to \$12.75—THE FASHION**



## Fail to Identify Suspect as Webb

(International News Service.)  
Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 26.—Postal authorities today failed to establish the identity of Paul Kenowa, suspected of being Henry Grady Webb, wanted in connection with train robberies committed by the Harrison gang.

## Christmas Program Decatur 5th. Grade

The Longfellow Literary Society of Decatur, fifth grade, gave a Christmas program on Tuesday afternoon. Christmas decorations with a Christmas tree loaded with presents for the pupils brought joy and gladness to all.

Business or professional cards, printed or engraved. The Daily.

Old Papers for Sale at Daily office.

## Christmas Luxuries

There Are Certain Luxuries that Are Not Luxuries Without Plenty of MILK and CREAM

We are prepared to supply these articles in any quantity. Give us your order early. If you don't have it this Xmas it's your own fault.

Rich Sweet Milk and Double Cream in Abundance

Finish up your Christmas dinner with our special ICES made in XMAS BELLS, LILLIES, ETC.

Decatur Ice Cream Co.

"Quality Products"

## FIRST HEREFORD IS BROUGHT MORGAN

E. H. ALLISON AIDS IN RAISING  
THE LIVE STOCK STANDARD  
HERE.

E. H. Allison, prominent Albany real estate man, has the distinction of having purchased the first pure Hereford bull ever brought to Morgan county. This is considered the first step toward raising the standard of cattle and stock industry in North Alabama. Morgan county recently was raised above the federal quarantine line and now is considered tick free.

The bull now is at Walker's stable and will be taken to Lawrence county soon, Mr. Allison announced. Another will be bought immediately and shipped to Morgan county.

"The live stock industry is growing in North Alabama," said Mr. Allison, "and the outlook is exceptionally bright for that branch of farming in this section. I am going to send the Hereford to a farm in Lawrence county, owned by myself and two associates, but I will get another for Morgan."

## What's in a Name?

It is interesting to know how certain flowers got their names, observes London Tit-Bits. Many were named after individuals. For instance, fuchsias were so called after Leonard Fuchs, Durlas was named from Andre Dahl, who brought them from Peru. The camellia was so called from a missionary named Kamei, who brought some magnificent specimens of the flower to France from Japan. He called it the Rose of Japan, but his friends changed it to camellia. Magnolias were named in honor of Professor Magnol de Montpellier, who first brought the beautiful trees to France from America and Asia. The Latin word for "to wash" is "lavare," and lavender received its name because the Romans put the flowers into the water used for washing to perfume their hands.

## Intellectual Free Rein.

Why should we believe that in the intellectual realm alone the interest of the undeveloped child should be of such paramount and controlling importance? Why not then in the moral and physical realms? Yet youth is passing a period of transition, requiring processes, often painful, of curbing and restraint. Give the youth, whether boy or girl, free rein in yielding to moral—or immoral—interests, and moral ruin will generally result. Give the growing boy the liberty to follow his physical inclinations, and disaster must surely follow. On what fair assumption, then, may we claim that in things intellectual the child's interest should prevail?—Atfred E. Stearns, in Atlantic.

## QUEER FREAKS OF NATURE

River of Pure Ink in Algeria—Siberian Streams Flow Over Beds of Solid Ice—Singing Well.

A river of ink is formed in Algeria by the union of two streams, the water of one being impregnated with iron and the other, which drains a great swamp, with gallic acid. This combination of iron and acid forms a pure ink.

In Siberia rivers flow over ice, old and solid as rock. A tributary of the Lena river has underneath the soil which forms the bed of the river, a bed of pure ice, over nine feet thick. A freak of nature is the lost river in Kentucky. It is known as the Hidden river, because no one knows its origin, and it vanishes into a cave leading no one knows where. It flows without a ripple, and is of a pale, bluish color.

A singing well is one of the natural curiosities of Texas. In fine weather a sound like that of an aeolian harp is given out by the well. At times the sound is clear; then it recedes, as if far away; and then it reaches the ear very faintly. These changes take place in a few minutes, and with great regularity.

With an east wind blowing the water in the well gets very low, and the mysterious musical sound is faint. A strong west wind causes the water to rise and the sound to increase in volume and clearness. Before a north wind the well plays its wildest pranks. The water rises nearly to the top of the well, which is about sixty feet deep, and gives out wild, weird noises.

## MUST GO AFTER



"Do world owes you a living."  
"But you're liable to have to go after de world wif a hoe or an ax to make it give up."

## HAD A JOB THEN



"Do you think he'll be able to land a job?"  
"Well, he worked his way through college."

## IN SHANTYTOWN



"And de novel said de heroine had a willow form, used to pine for her lover, and would spruce up when she seen him coming froo de gate."  
"Gee, where did she work—in a saw mill?"

## WHAT HE'D DO



Visitor—Willie, what would you do if I gave you a penny?  
Willie—Wish it was a nickel.

## A FINANCIER



Askitt—Do you live within your income?  
Spenditt—Sure, I do, I couldn't live without it.

Engraved Christmas cards are the correct remembrance for friends. See the handsome line at the Daily office.

## ATHENS COLLEGE NOTES.

On Friday afternoon, Dec. 15, there was an exhibition-ten given by the pupils from the home economics classes that was a most enjoyable affair. The exhibits were a credit to the school and the able direction of Miss Brucker, under whom the work was done. The ladies of the town and faculty and the students were invited to view these garments. There were on exhibit dainty lingerie in nainsook, laces, ribbon, and crepe de chine, shirt waists, aprons, caps, blouses, and several very beautiful dresses that did credit to a professional seamstress. The cooking class served refreshing tea and delicious marshmallow dainties which they had made. A very pretty feature of the afternoon was when nine young ladies as living models gave several statue poses with candles which they used effectively.

In the evening there was a public recital given in the music hall by the pupils from the oratory class. Those appearing on the program were, besides four children, advanced students who had ready appropriate material for a public program. All these young readers showed remarkable ease, and had a graceful, gracious stage presence. Each one interpreted the selection in hand in good taste, and showed an appreciation of its thought. All were interested in noticing the growth of those whom they have heard before, and in seeing the finish with which all read. The varied program was interesting throughout, and brought out the strong points of each one. The program follows:

Mock Wedding (Mary Cary)—Bosher, Louise Lerman  
When Mother's at Club—M. B. Cooke, Christine Wilson  
A Lullaby—Deane  
My Shadow—Stevenson, Ruth Chew  
Courtship by Telepathy—Wattles, Mrs. Wood  
The Governor's Last Levee—Kennedy, Lucile Crutcher  
The Otherwise Man—Van Dyke, Ruth Moore  
One of Bob's Tramps—Smith, Mrs. Wood  
Little Fellow—Anon  
My Paw Won't Play With Me—Mansfield  
Dr. J. Wilson  
My Sister's Best Fellow—Lincoln, Louise Lerman  
A Christmas Carol—Lowell  
The Christmas Stooking—Shelton, Christine Wilson  
One, Two, and Three—Bunaer, Ruth Chew  
The Arena Scene (Sign of the Cross)—Barrett, Marjorie Raney

On Saturday evening there was a Mock Faculty that created a great deal of innocent amusement for both the faculty and students, besides a goodly number of friends from the town. Some of the impersonations were quite cleverly done as well as cleverly made up. It was under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. and a neat sum was realized from the proceeds.

The holidays began Wednesday morning, almost all of the students and faculty leaving on the early trains for their homes or the homes of friends. They will return in time for chapel on Wednesday morning, January 8.

On Monday night, Dec. 18, there was a Christmas tree for the servants and their children, given as usual by the Y. W. C. A. The Sunday school sent a Christmas box to the orphan's home in Selma.

## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Alabama, Morgan County. In the Chancery Court of Said County. John L. Brock vs. E. H. Price, et al. In this cause it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of complainant, that the defendants, E. H. Price and Jennie Price are non-residents of the state of Alabama, and that their particular place of residence is Atoka, Oklahoma, and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the defendants are over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in the County of Morgan, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring the said E. H. Price and Jennie Price to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 1st day of January, 1917, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against them in said cause.

Done at office in Decatur, Alabama, this 1st day of December, 1916.  
MARVIN WEST, Register.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the fever will not return.

1 Assortment  
Iron Toys worth  
35c ..... 25c

1 Assortment  
of Iron Toys  
10c

75c Dolls  
Special  
49c

50c  
DOLLS  
25c

10.00

ELECTRIC

7.25

TRAIN

3.00

MECHANICAL

TRAINS

2.00

Other Trains  
with Track from  
25c up

Doll Beds  
\$1.00 value  
75c

Little Red Chairs  
at  
25c

"Sooner"  
Dogs  
5c

**FREE! FREE!! FREE!!!**

**Toys---Free---Toys**

\$24.00 worth of Toys and Fireworks will be given away absolutely FREE during the next three days

**Thursday, Friday and Saturday**

On Thursday morning at 11 o'clock we will give to the ones holding the lucky numbers \$8.00 worth of toys and fireworks. The same amount will be given Friday and Saturday.

**The Reason for This**

We are in receipt of a delayed shipment of toys and fireworks that MUST BE SOLD at a sacrifice. One of the most complete stocks in Albany-Decatur.

**REAL SURE ENOUGH FIRE WORKS**

We will sell you \$1.00 assortments of Fireworks that would cost you \$1.50 or more elsewhere.

Every person who enters the store will be given a number and the one holding the lucky number will receive the Fire Works. Be sure and get your number

**THE  
Toy Shop**

316 Bank Street  
DECATUR, ALA.

We will open every evening until Xmas to handle the eager shoppers who can't shop during the day and who do not like the congestion that is characteristic of these busy days.

Dolls that say MAMA price elsewhere 1.00 OUR price 75c

25c value vases our special price only 15c



## EFFICIENCY

Efficiency is a term much used and abused. Its use is by those who talk little but do well—and thoroughly—whatever they undertake to do. Its abuse is by those who devote much time to explaining the cause of mistakes and failures and who consequently have not sufficient time left in which to do thoroughly and efficiently the things they should do.

Inefficiency—the failure to do well and thoroughly whatever one undertakes to do—is the greatest single item of expense in our business life.

Recognizing this significant fact the L. & N. has devoted thoughtful attention and careful investigation to the business of supplying efficient freight and passenger service to the shipping and traveling public.

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That, perhaps, is the chief reason why the L. & N. supplies better freight service; faster, safer and more comfortable passenger service, than some other railroads.

All at rates as low as consistent with sound business methods.

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(No. 1)

## Decatur Fire Laddies Answer Night Call

The Decatur fire department answered a call last night to West Pond street, to the home of J. W. Spizy. Little damage was done, the flames being extinguished when the department arrived.

Fire Chief Fox this morning declared the department had great difficulty in locating the building, as the call was turned in over the phone and the house number not designated. He again urged that the automatic fire alarm system be used whenever possible.

## Ill Feeling Toward Americans Increase

(International News Service.)

El Paso, Dec. 20.—Ill feeling towards Americans increased in Juarez today as a result of General Bell's refusal to turn over to the Carranza commander General Comaduran, who deserted and fled to El Paso.

Americans were advised not to visit the Mexican city until the situation is adjusted.

Having failed to move General Bell, General Gonzales today appealed to the El Paso civil authorities. He declared on the strength of General Bell's refusal, he would refuse to return deserters from the American army who sought refuge in Juarez.

Gonzales' revolt against General Murguia and his refusal to surrender his command threatened serious consequences today.

## Wert and Hutson Will Practice Law Together

Judge Thomas W. Wert, whose term of office ends January 15, when his court dies under the terms of a recently enacted state law, and Solicitor Melvin Hutson of the law and equity court, whose office also is abolished under the same law, will be associated in the practice of law on Bank street.

The firm's name will be "Wert & Hutson," and it will occupy four rooms on the second floor of the Olin building.

## Negro is Killed in Explosion at Mine

(International News Service.) Birmingham, Dec. 20.—An unidentified negro man was killed and two others painfully burned this morning in the Edgewater mine of the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company, when there was a local explosion at the bottom of the mine.

Business or professional cards, printed or engraved. The Daily.

## RUNNING WATER POSSIBLE FOR EVERY COUNTRY HOME

By R. U. Blasingame, Agricultural Engineer.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

No home is well protected unless it is provided with an adequate supply of pure water. For years it was considered that running water was a luxury to be enjoyed only by families who live in cities. However, manufacturers have recently turned their attention quite largely to the production of private water supply equipment and to studying the farmer's water problem, thereby making it possible for him to have private water works at a reasonable cost. It is no uncommon experience at present to find many country homes provided with running water; and it is hoped that this circular, by showing plans for inexpensive systems, may stimulate many farmers of Alabama to provide this comfort for their families.

To secure pure water it is necessary to properly locate and construct the well. By proper location is meant that the well be placed so that no surface water may enter during heavy rains. It will be seen from the illustrations that wells should be equipped

with terra cotta, rock, brick, or concrete curbs. These impervious materials prevent any contaminated water from entering the well by seepage. It is a common practice at present to bank clay around the well, and place a layer of concrete over the top to prevent the entrance of dust, trash, and also filth from the feet of persons using the pump.

This article is not intended to include all water systems which may be installed on Alabama farms; but to acquaint the public with some of the simpler outfits, together with detailed lists of the necessary material for each.

It is often supposed that a water system is too expensive for the farm, but with a glance at the outfits contained in this article, one may see that they many range from \$18.50 to \$50.94 for actual cash outlay in purchase of material for a complete system. Each system has been so designed as to allow the addition of further equipment at any time funds may become available.

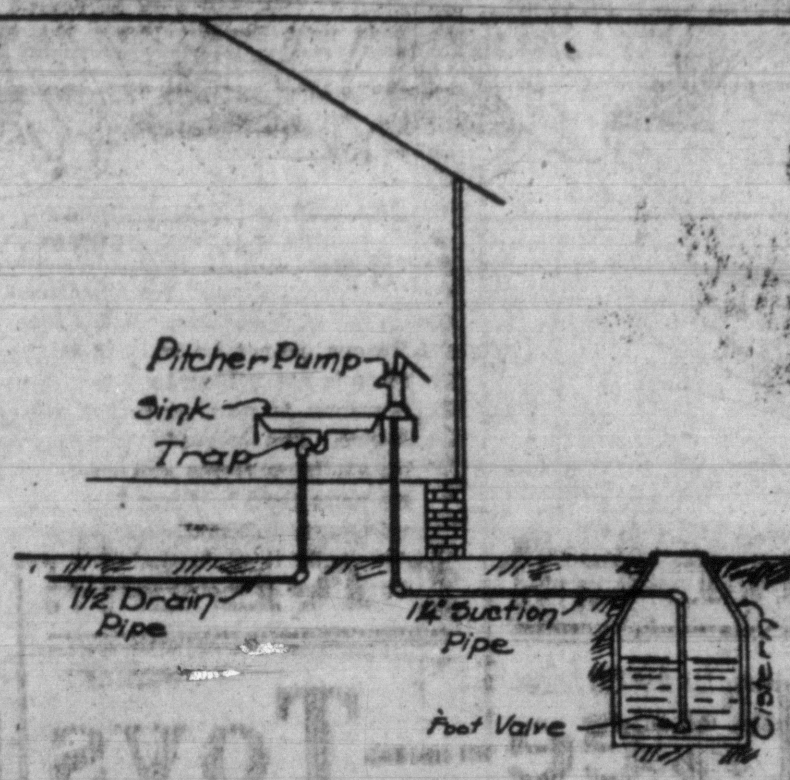


Fig. 1, System I. The Pitcher Spout Pump and Sink in the Kitchen.

Water System No. I.		
This system consists of a pitcher spout pump, so placed as to deliver water into the kitchen sink as it is drawn from a cistern or shallow well. It must be borne in mind that the pitcher pump will draw water only about 20 feet. The kitchen sink is provided with drain pipe and trap.		
Cost of System No. I.		
40 feet 1 1/4 inch galvanized iron suction pipe	5.60	
30 feet 1 1/2 inch galvanized iron		
drain pipe	4.80	
kitchen sink and supports	4.00	
2 1 1/4 inch elbows for suction		
pipe	.30	
1 pitcher spout pump	1.75	
1 1 1/2 inch cast iron trap	1.20	
1 1 1/4 inch foot valve and strainer combined	.60	
1 1 1/2 inch elbow for drain pipe	.15	
Total	\$18.50	
*Variable, according to distance of cistern or well from pump stand.		

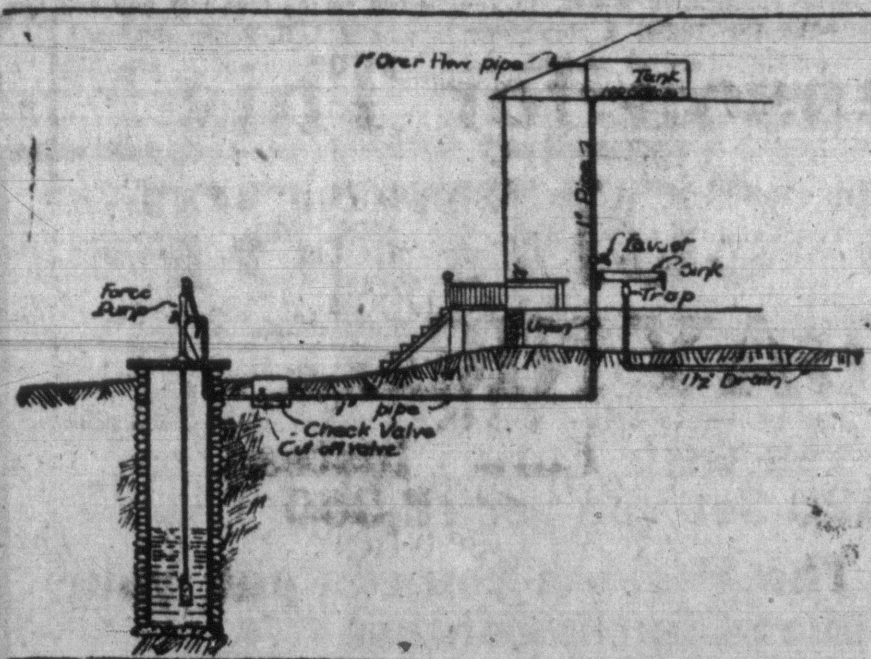


Fig. 2, System II. Cold Water in the Kitchen.

Water System No. II.		
This system is quite different from No. I, in that it requires a storage tank either in the attic of the house or in some elevated position. The tank placed in the attic is sufficient for the water supply in the house, but is not recommended as being large enough to supply the entire farm. In any event the tank in the attic of a dwelling should be placed over a partition in order to prevent its weight causing the ceiling to sag.		
Cost of System No. II.		
1 force pump complete	\$18.00	
50 feet 1 inch galvanized iron		
pipe; from pump to tank	8.80	
3 1 inch galvanized iron elbows	.45	
1 1 inch galvanized iron union	.30	
1 1 inch check valve	.30	
1 1 inch cut off valve	.30	
1 1 inch x 1 1/2 inch x half inch faucet	.60	
1 galvanized iron storage tank, 100 gallons capacity	10.00	
4 feet 1 inch galvanized iron overflow pipe	.44	
1 1 1/2 inch cast iron trap to fit kitchen sink	1.30	
1 kitchen sink and support	4.00	
40 feet 1 1/2 inch galvanized iron drain pipe from sink	6.40	
1 1 1/2 inch elbow for drain pipe	.15	
Total	\$50.94	

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You can rub with some ointment for rheumatism, but the chances are you will not get permanent relief. To rub for rheumatism is just like going out into a field of Johnson grass and mowing it down. To look at the stubble of the Johnson grass after the hay is moved from the field—not knowing the nature of the grass—you would at once decide that no more crops of Johnson hay would be harvested in this field unless the field was resown with Johnson grass seed. From outward appearance, it's a one crop grass. But quite different. The cause of the growth of this grass comes from the roots. To harvest the hay—or the developments—of these roots. To rid the field of this grass, it would be necessary to destroy or remove the cause of the life of the Johnson grass. The same fact applies to rheumatism. You can rub for rheumatism and get temporary relief. But to get rid of rheumatism, you will have to go on the inside and remove the cause of rheumatism.

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her terms, or whether she will wait a more opportune moment to make fresh overtures is problematical.

### FRENCH PRESS PLEASED AT LLOYD GEORGE'S SPEECH

(International News Service.)

Paris, Dec. 20.—Premier Lloyd George's speech in the House of Commons rejecting the initial peace proposals of the German allies was hailed by the French press today as an expression of the true spirit and will of the allied nations.

### LONDON NEWSPAPERS COMMENT ON BRYAN NOTE

(International News Service.)

London, Dec. 20.—While no reference was made in official circles to the telegram which W. J. Bryan sent to Lloyd George urging an early peace, the London papers have commented on it extensively.

The Times suggests that the premier emulate the example of the late Lord Kitchener, under similar circumstances in the peace of Zeebrugge in 1902. A distinguished publicist at that time sent Kitchener a telegram: "We will sing at church parade next Sunday Hymn No. 537—'Peace, Perfect Peace.'" Kitchener's reply came quickly: "No, sing Hymn No. 268—'Christian Seek No Repose.'"

### THE ENTENTE MUST MAKE CONCESSIONS, GERMANS SAY

(International News Service.)

Washington, Dec. 20.—"Peace in Europe cannot be reached if the entente is not willing to forget the past. Germany is now concerned with the future. She is ready to make peace on equitable terms and meet her rivals more than half way."

German diplomatic officials here today made it plain that this was the disposition of their government.

### RUSSIANS CONTINUE THEIR ATTACKS WITHOUT AVAIL

(International News Service.)

Berlin, Dec. 20.—On the east bank of the Bistritza river, in the lower Carpathians, the Russians have continued their attacks but without result, the war office reported today. In the remainder there is nothing new.

### SPIRITED ENGAGEMENTS ARE REPORTED BY PARIS.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Dec. 20.—Spirited engagements around Louvemont during the night were reported by the French war office today. About Verdun there was heavy artillery firing.

## FUTURE RELATIONS REST ON CARRANZA

HE MUST COINCIDE WITH AMERICAN VIEWS OR FORCE AN OPEN BREAK.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Dec. 20.—Gen. Carranza at last faces the responsibility of coinciding with the American view on the protocol or enforcing a break in the relations between the United States and the de facto government.

This was made plain today by attacks of the American-Mexican commission, which adjourned its sessions at Philadelphia late yesterday to give the first chief opportunity to pass on the points in the protocol upon which the American government insists.

Rejection of the communication now en route to the constitutionalist leader, unless it is a flat and uncompromising rejection, will permit of some further parley by the commissioners.

However, the position of the American commissioners has been strengthened to some extent by the recent developments in Mexico.

## Spinal Meningitis is Epidemic Among Troops on Border

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 20.—Four companies in the Georgia Infantry Brigade have been quarantined because of the discovery of spinal meningitis among these troops. It was announced at military headquarters here today.

The companies quarantined are E and G of the First Infantry, M of the Second Infantry and B of the Fifth Infantry. It was announced that there are four cases among the men of these companies.

Preston J. Wilson, a private of company M, Second South Carolina Infantry, died today of pneumonia. Wilson's death was the seventh among the troops here from pneumonia within a week. Wilson lived in Columbia, S. C.

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The State of Alabama, Morgan County.

In Probate Court, December 19, 1916, in the matter of the estate of J. H. Vogan, deceased.

Whereas, Robt. R. Vogan and Jessie L. Goforth have this day produced in said Court an instrument of writing, as the day on which to hear testimony purporting to be the last will and in proof of the due execution of said

testament of J. H. Vogan, and thereupon filed their petition in under oath, praying that said instrument of writing be admitted to probate and record as the last will and testament of said J. H. Vogan, deceased.

And it is ordered by the Court that the 11th day of January, 1917, be set aside for the hearing of said petition, as the day on which to hear testimony purporting to be the last will and in proof of the due execution of said

purported will and testament of said deceased; and notice of the filing of said petition and the day above set for the hearing and consideration of the said petition, is hereby ordered to be given by publication, once a week for three consecutive weeks, in the Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in county of Morgan and state of Alabama, to Henry V. Clark

and Alzina Clark, who reside at New Castle, Pa., to be and appear before this court on said 11th day of January, 1917, then and there to show cause of anything they have to allege why said instrument of writing record as the true last will and testament of J. H. Vogan, deceased.

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